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## HOUSE PASSES BONUS OVER HARDING VETO

President Gives Reasons That Country Cannot Afford Increased Tax At This Time

(By Associated Press)  
Washington, Sept. 20—The House today passed the Soldiers' bonus bill over President Harding's veto.  
The vote, which was taken without debate, was 258 to 54, 50 more than the necessary two-thirds majority. Announcing the proposed stand by the president, Representative Garrett, of Tennessee, a Democratic leader, suggested an hour's discussion but the previous question was adopted and the roll call taken.

Washington, Sept. 20—President Harding vetoed the soldiers' bonus bill Tuesday, informing Congress in a written message that while he was in accord with "the avowed purpose" of the measure, he did not subscribe to its provisions.  
The executive's action was regarded generally in Washington as making impossible a bonus for the World War veterans, at least for some time to come, as it appeared almost certain that the veto would be sustained by the Senate. A vote in the House was planned for Wednesday with Senate action to follow later in the day or on Thursday.

Mr. Harding set forth a number of reasons for disapproving the bill. These included:  
Failure of Congress to provide a means of financing.  
That inevitably the bonus would mean increased taxation.

That the legislation would wipe out everything thus far accomplished to reduce government expenditures wherever possible.  
That a peace bestowal on the former service men was "a perversion of public funds," and suggested "that future defense is to be inspired by compensation rather than consciousness of duty to flag and country."

That to add one-sixth of the total sum of the public debt for distribution among less than 5,000,000 of 110,000,000 people would undermine confidence on which the nation's credit was built and "establish the precedent of distributing public funds whenever the proposal and the numbers affected make it seem politically appealing to do so."

That the \$10,000,000,000 of maturing public debt in the next six years would be difficult to meet without adding the complication of added borrowings on account of a bonus.  
That the adjusted service certificate plan of payment, with its bank and government loan provisions, was little more than a "certified inability of the government to pay, and invited a practice of sacrificial barter by veterans."

## LOCAL MEN SWORN IN AS ATTORNEYS

O. W. Hisle, B. Z. McKim, and W. K. Price, all of Richmond, who were among those who passed the last examination for admission to the bar, were introduced to the Court of Appeals Monday and were sworn in as attorneys. All three are very prominent in this county and are expected to secure a good practice here. O. W. Hisle has gone into the offices of John Noland as a partner. W. K. Price is a former county judge of Madison county and at present a doctor, lawyer and farmer.

SAVE time and trouble by paying your taxes now. E. Deatherage, Sheriff. 223-cod

## Potters To Strike

(By Associated Press)  
East Liverpool, O., Sept. 20—Orders were mailed from the headquarters of the National Brotherhood of Operative Potters here today to strike September 30. Seven thousand men are involved.

## Southern Shopmen At Work

(By Associated Press)  
Chattanooga, Tenn., Sept. 20—Reports today indicated that the striking shopmen are returning to work on the Southern railway in increasing numbers. In Virginia alone more than 2,000 are back at work.

## MAY BATTLE FOR THE DARDANELLES

(By Associated Press)  
Constantinople, Sept. 20—Information that Mustapha Kemal Pasha is preparing to launch an attack for possession of the Dardanelles is causing anxiety in Allied military circles. It is not improbable such an attack will be made before the end of the week, the Turks taking advantage of the fact that the British have not concentrated their forces. Many British subjects are leaving the city, showing they believe fighting is imminent. Various units of the British Atlantic fleet are on their way to join the naval forces in the Dardanelles, but the authorities are reticent as to details.

## SLEPT WHILE HOME BURNED

(By Associated Press)  
Louisville, Ky., Sept. 20—Notwithstanding their two-story home was struck by lightning and set on fire, Fred Schneider and his wife and two children slept peacefully early today until policemen battered down the doors. Rescuers led them thru smoked filled rooms to safety while the flames crackled overhead. The loss is \$12,000.

## MRS. TODDS CHICKENS WIN AT STATE FAIR

Word has been received here by Mrs. Luther Todd that her Rhode Island Red chickens she sent to the State Fair in the county standardization exhibit had won the championship, the prize being \$100 per pen of chickens. Besides this splendid prize she also won quite a nice sum on individual birds.

The county exhibits are composed of 32 fowls, eight of them in the Madison exhibit belonging to Mrs. Todd. This is as many as the rules of the association allow one breeder to have in the exhibit from one county. The Madison exhibit was chosen at the Berea fair where the Berea Rhode Island Red Association held a local show. There were about 100 fowls shown at Berea. Mr. J. R. Smith, poultry expert from the State Experiment Station at Lexington making the selection. He chose the eight fowls which brought the championship to Mrs. Todd who is to be congratulated upon the splendid showing made by her Rhode Island Reds in competition with the best in the state.

This honor places Mrs. Todd with professional breeders and will bar her from showing again in a county standardization exhibit.

THE tax books have been turned over to me and I can give you receipts for your taxes now. E. Deatherage, Sheriff. 223-cod

FOR SALE—Ford roadster, new model. Fully equipped, splendid. Price right. See G. M. Brock, phone 166-697. 223-2p

TAXES are now due and the tax books are ready. E. Deatherage, Sheriff. 223-cod

Attorney George T. Ross, of counsel on the staff of Gov. Morrow. It is now Col. Ross. 223-cod

## DANVILLE MAN IN COUNTY JAIL HERE

Is Held On \$3,000 Bond—Estill Officials Come Here For Jack King

William Wingate, of Danville, has been placed in the Madison county jail for safekeeping. He was brought here from Danville where he has been confined for the past three months. He is held under \$3,000 bond, which was only recently reduced from \$7,500 on a charge of violating the prohibition laws. The Boyle county jailer reported Wingate to be a bad actor and very dangerous. He also said that he is very clever and slick and had tried to saw his way out of the Danville jail a couple of times. However, if that is the case, he has evidently manifested a change of heart, according to Jailer Charles Rogers for Wingate has given no trouble whatever since becoming an inmate of the Madison bastille.

The sheriff of Estill county and three deputies were in Richmond Monday to get Jack King, of that county, who is charged with the murder of Policeman Sutton at Ravenna. King has been in the local jail for safekeeping for a period of about four months. His case is expected to be called in circuit court at Irvine this week.

Young Claude Eagle, "kid desperado" who is at present with his uncle in Garrard county, was in town for a visit to Deputy Jailer George Rogers and some of the friends he made while in jail here a few weeks ago. He was captured here after making his escape from officials at Corbin and attracted many while in the local lock-up by his pleasing personality.

## KIRKSVILLE MAN LOSER'S BROTHER

Relatives here have received the sad news of the death at Lexington of George W. Palmer, 58, Tuesday. He had been at the St. Joseph's hospital for about six weeks. He is survived by five sisters, Mrs. Eliza Traylor, of Stanford; Mrs. Emily Higginbotham, of Lancaster; Mrs. Annie West, of Lancaster; Garrard county; Mrs. Kittie Hines, of Nebraska; Mrs. Lizzie Johnson, of Danville three brothers, William and Robert Palmer, of Lancaster and Lee Palmer, of Kirksville. The funeral will be held at Lancaster.

## RESOLUTIONS BY MADISON FARM BUREAU

Whereas, The All Wise Father has seen fit to take from our midst our beloved friend and treasurer, T. S. Hagan, therefore be it.

Resolved, that in the death of Mr. Hagan, The Madison County Farm Bureau has lost one of its most valuable and loyal members, and that the community has lost one of its highest types of Christian citizens.

Resolved, That we extend to his bereaved family our sincere sympathy, in this, their sad hour of bereavement.

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon our minutes a copy sent to his bereaved widow, and another copy be given to the local paper for publication.

Signed, A. K. McCown, Jake Herndon, Jr., C. H. Jett, Committee.

The above resolutions were unanimously adopted by the board of directors of the Madison County Farm Bureau at its regular monthly meeting, on Saturday, Sept. 16, 1922.

## ROAD TAX IS DISCUSSED BY CITIZENS COMMITTEE

The first statement to the voters of Madison county from the special Citizens' Committee named by the Fiscal Court to supervise and have charge of the special road tax, if voted, is made today. The statement discusses the situation, emphasis being laid on the fact that this special road tax, if voted, is to be used impartially to forward the building of all inter-county seat roads in Madison, in connection with state-aid funds, and not in favor of any one road. In other words, every section of the county is going to receive a direct and permanent benefit by the voting of this tax. The committee is anxious for a full discussion of the proposed tax by any interested and feels that any who may oppose it will do themselves or the taxpayers and the committee full justice unless such criticism, if any, is made public. The Daily Register will be glad to open its columns to a full discussion of this important subject by any citizen. The Committee's statement reads in full as follows:

Having been appointed by the Fiscal Court of Madison county, a Committee with certain duties to perform, and as the matter involved is, we believe, one which should interest all citizens and taxpayers, we wish to set forth our interpretation of the proposition, and of the obligation we have assumed.

We quote from the minutes of the meeting of the Fiscal Court August 14, 1922, as follows:

"That this meeting go on record as being in favor of the building of the proposed Richmond-McKee pike to the Jackson county line, and of the building of the remainder of the Irvine pike to the Estill county line, and of the building of the Lancaster pike to the Garrard county line, and of the building of the remainder of the Boonesboro pike to the Clark county line, and the Tate's Creek pike to the Jessamine county line, all of said pikes to be built or reconstructed, to be of a standard acceptable to the State Highway Commission for maintenance as State Aid roads, and also of the building or the remainder of the Lexington pike to the Kentucky river, such construction to be of a standard acceptable to the Federal Government as a State and Federal Aid road. Roads to be built as the State will accept them."

The Fiscal Court is requested to go on record as favorable to this building of these proposed road projects providing only that the voters and taxpayers of Madison county, Kentucky, provide means and place at the disposal of said Court for the payment of the expense of such building or reconstruction."

The foregoing provides for the construction of all inter-county seat highways in Madison county in such a way as to make them acceptable as State Aid roads and when, and if, accepted by the State, then the State, and not Madison county, is from the time of acceptance responsible for their maintenance and for the expense of their maintenance.

At a meeting of the Fiscal Court and Committee, after discussion was had as to the relative merits of a bond issue or a road tax, it was the practically unanimous opinion, based on a poll vote of the two bodies, that a six year road tax of twenty cents on each hundred dollars of taxable property was the best method of raising the necessary funds.

It was estimated that such a tax would raise a total of around \$300,000.00 and that such an amount, being available at certain periods, would enable the County to take advantage of such State and Federal Aid as was to be had, as the opportunity for making the various improvements offered. Necessarily, all conclusions are based on the supposition that the State and Federal Road Departments will continue their policy along lines about as at present, under which the State furnishes one-half the necessary funds and supervises the surveying, letting of contracts and construction of all State Aid projects. Where Federal Aid is available, in addition to State Aid, the County's proportion of the total expense of such projects is only twenty-five per cent.

It was the sense of the full meeting, both Fiscal Court and Committee, that should changing conditions as to the policy of the State or Federal Departments make it advisable in any year, or any number of years, to waive the collection of the proposed 20c tax, that such tax should not be collected in that year or years. In short, that there would be no going ahead and levying and collecting this tax, except for specific uses as endorsed by those in attendance at the mass meeting August 14th, and later when the question was discussed at the meeting of the Fiscal Court and the Committee.

It seems to us an excellent business proposition, if possible, to complete these roads when State and Federal Aid is available in the amount of fifty per cent or more of the cost of the improvements. As the roads are accepted by the State, more and more of the general County Road Fund will be available for work on roads in the county, other than inter-county seat highways. When you consider the fact that all the money spent on the roads of Madison county approximately eighty per cent each year has been spent on the inter-county seat roads, it seems to us that this plan offers a direct solution as to how the other roads of the county are to be benefited.

We severally and collectively, having a realizing sense of our obligation in this matter, propose to give it our very best thought and attention. We propose to investigate thoroughly any contract or agreement before it is entered into, and to the best of our ability will see that all contracts are complied with to the letter, after they are made. We believe that good roads are of benefit, directly or indirectly, to every member of our community. We will welcome and ask for criticism, advice and suggestions. The columns of the Daily Register are open to such.

(Signed)  
HARVEY CHENAULT, Richmond  
QUINN COVINGTON, Waco  
J. H. DEAN, Richmond  
JOHN L. GAY, Berea  
A. H. HAMILTON, Kingston  
A. B. HOWARD, Valley View  
M. C. KELLOGG, Richmond  
W. F. PARK, Jack's Creek Pike  
R. M. ROWLAND, Richmond  
R. E. TURLLEY, Richmond  
R. G. WOODS, Lancaster Pike

## Louisville Ford Closes

(By Associated Press)  
Louisville, Ky., Sept. 20—The Ford assembling plant here, employing 225 men, was ordered to close Friday. This step is in line with other Ford plants closed last week over the country.

James R. Jackson, 46, of southern Ohio, is being sought by relatives in Lexington after being missing for several months.

HATS—Buy your Fall Hat at K. V. Schmidt's millinery store, Main street. 223-cod

## Western Kentucky Young Men Are In Very Bad

(By Associated Press)  
Owensboro, Sept. 20—Rupert Blackburn, 19, and Vance Lynn, 22, of Clay, Ky., were each held in \$2,500 bail before Federal Commissioner Higdon here today on a charge of violating the Mann act. They were arrested in Detroit on Labor day with two girls, also from Clay. Both men are married. Each was released on bail furnished by relatives.

## The Weather

Cloudy and cooler in west; probably showers in east portion tonight; Thursday partly cloudy.

## Wednesday's Livestock Markets

Cincinnati, Sept. 20—Hogs 4.000; heavies \$9.25 to \$9.75; packers \$10.10; mediums and lights \$9.75; pigs \$9.50; sows \$7.75; stags \$6; cattle 700, steady; calves \$6 to \$14; sheep \$4 to \$5.50; lambs \$5, \$9 to \$14.50; Chicago 17,000 hogs, \$10; 15,000 cattle.  
Louisville, Sept. 20—Cattle 500, best steady; others slow; range \$2 to \$8.25; hogs 1,300, strong; range \$5 to \$9.80; sheep 300, steady; \$4.50 down; lambs \$12 down.

## L. & N'S NEW COAL RATES SUSPENDED

(By Associated Press)  
Washington, Sept. 20—Schedules filed by the Louisville and Nashville railroad, proposing to increase coal rates from Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia to Iowa, Missouri and Nebraska points were suspended today by the Interstate Commerce Commission until next January 18th. The commission suspended until Jan. 18 schedules proposing to increase rates on coal from the mines in Kentucky on the Cumberland and Manchester railroad to numerous points north, northwest and southeast, which would be accomplished by adding a specified amount to the Louisville & Nashville base rates from Barboursville, Ky.

## MRS. DORGAS PHELPS IS CALLED HOME

Mrs. Dorcas McCord Phelps, widow of the late Marcus A. Phelps, died Tuesday night at 12 o'clock at the home of her son, Dr. R. M. Phelps at Union City. Her death was not unexpected, as she had been ill several months. The members of her family were called to her bedside several weeks ago. She was a member of the Christian church and was a beautiful Christian character, beloved by all who knew her. Surviving are seven children; three daughters Mrs. J. W. Fox, of Dawson, Ga., Mrs. R. C. Hoeker of Stanford, Mrs. Newell Jones, of Phoenix, Arizona, four sons, S. M. Phelps, D. M. Phelps, Dr. R. M. Phelps, all of this county and R. P. Phelps, of Mississippi. Funeral services will be held at the grave in the Richmond cemetery at 3 o'clock, Dr. E. C. McDougle in charge of the service. Pallbearers will be Messrs. John McCord, William David, Jack and Jake McCord and May Collins.

## BOLD GAME IN NEW YORK HOTEL

(By Associated Press)  
New York, Sept. 20—Charles Williams, of Louisville, Ky., was arrested here today. He is charged with attempting to hold up Byron Johnston in the Commodore hotel this morning. Police say Williams with a companion entered Johnston's room, awoke him and demanded money. Johnston had none but offered to write a check and have the hotel clerk cash it. He wrote on the back of the check: "Hold up; call police." Johnston accompanied the two hold-up men down stairs and when the cashier read the startling announcement, he summoned police. Williams' companion escaped.

Don't forget Mrs. T. J. Millett's public sale of fine farm land Thursday, Sept. 21st, at 10 a. m. Long Tom Chenault on the block.

## ROTARIANS TO TALK SAFETY TO PUPILS

Schedules Made For Impressing School Children With Dangers On Streets

The regular weekly business luncheon of the Rotary Club at the Glyndon Tuesday brought forth the completed program from the Committee on Business Affairs headed by Chairman Z. T. Rice. The "Public Safety" program which has already been started by the Club has gotten under way and auto stickers, window cards and other forms of "Safety" publicity have been put into effect to make the city safe for both autoists and pedestrians. During the coming week various members of the Rotary Club will make "Safety" talks before the school classes and Sunday schools in both the white and colored branches and each student will be asked to co-operate with the club in promoting this first safety campaign. The dangerous intersection at the corner of Main and Lancaster avenue will also have the attention of this campaign as well as the rapid driving of delivery trucks throughout the city. It is hoped that every driver of an auto in the county will co-operate with the Safety Committee in establishing a precedent for every county in the state to follow, whereby it will become a habit for every driver to use the utmost care in the handling of their cars.

The club enjoyed a very pleasing address from President R. L. Telford, of the Exchange Club, on Safety, who was a guest of the meeting. Also from Mr. R. M. Bacheller, of St. Joseph, Mo., who is the guest of Mr. W. O. Mays. Mr. Mays was also a guest of the club.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKERS HERE

An enthusiastic crowd heard Mr. Marcus Redwine, President of the Clark County Sunday School Association, and Prof. P. B. Akin and Mr. Spencer, all of Winchester, and Supt. Vaughn, state worker, at the Madison County Sunday School Association, international and interdenominational, at the First Presbyterian church Tuesday evening at 7:30. These men made earnest appeal for delegates to attend the state convention which convenes in Winchester October 2-5. Frank Powell, president of the Madison County Association, presided.

## Gloria Swanson's Best

What may prove to be Gloria Swanson's most notable picture, according to Paramount, is "Beyond the Rocks," which will be shown at local theatres Thursday. Twenty different gowns are worn by Miss Swanson and an opportunity is given the star to appear in some of the most wonderful creations that have ever graced the screen.

Ira C. Byerly, a dispatching clerk in the Paducah postoffice, has been named a postmaster at that place over several prominent republicans.

Leslie Holder, jeweler of Evansville, Ind., who is alleged to have been stabbed by Charles Anderson, died without regaining consciousness.

An attempt to straighten out the Fayette county tax situation will be made in Frankfort next Monday.

Two women were allowed \$4,600 each by the Workmen's Compensation Board at Frankfort for the deaths of their husbands who were killed in Kentucky mines.

The University of Kentucky as enrolled 1,463 students, after being open two days.